

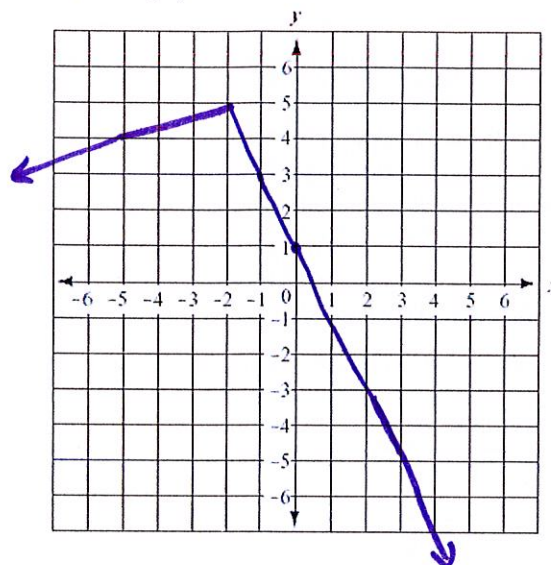
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Solutions

1. Sketch the graph of a continuous function $y = f(x)$ that has the following properties:

i. $f(0) = 1$,

ii. $f'(x) = \begin{cases} -2 & \text{if } x \geq -2 \\ \frac{1}{3} & \text{if } x < -2 \end{cases}$



2. Write an equation for a linear function $y = f(x)$ that has the following properties:

i. $f(-4) = 3$,

ii. $f'(-4) = 5$.

$$y - 3 = 5(x + 4)$$

3. The function $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^3 + 4 & \text{if } x > -1 \\ -3x & \text{if } x \leq -1 \end{cases}$ has left-hand and right-hand derivatives at

$x = -1$. Does $f(x)$ have a derivative at $x = -1$? Explain why or why not. You may use the derivative rules here.

$$\begin{aligned} (-1)^3 + 4 &= -3(-1) \\ -1 + 4 &= 3 \\ 3 &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

The function is continuous since

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -1^-} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow -1^+} f(x) = f(-1)$$

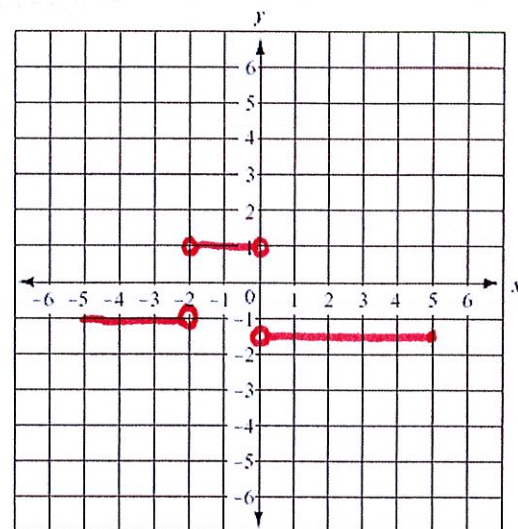
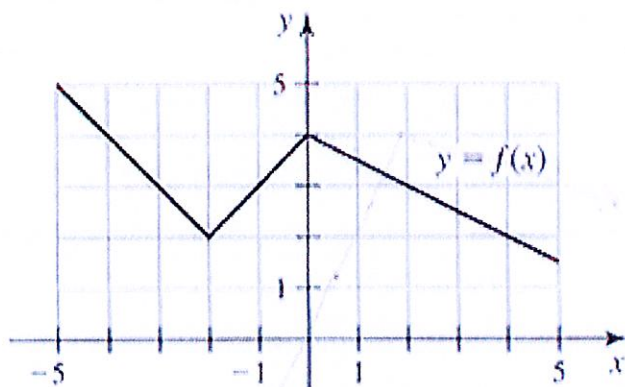
$$f'(x) = \begin{cases} 3x^2 & \text{if } x > -1 \\ -3 & \text{if } x < -1 \end{cases}$$

$$3(-1)^2 \neq -3$$

$$+3 \neq -3$$

The function $f(x)$ does not have a derivative at $x = -1$.

4. The graph of the function $y = f(x)$ shown here is made of the line segments joined end to end. Graph the function's derivative function.



5. Determine the value(s) of x for which the function $f(x) = \frac{x+2}{\sqrt{x}}$ is not differentiable.

Explain why.

The domain of $f(x)$ is $x > 0$.

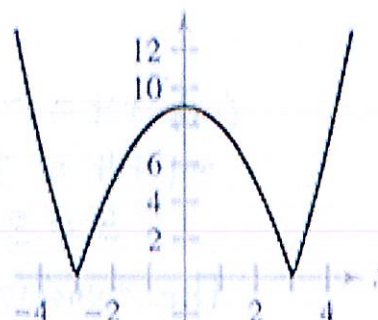
$$f'(x) = \frac{\sqrt{x}(1) - (x+2) \frac{1}{2} x^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{x} = \frac{\sqrt{x} - \frac{x+2}{2\sqrt{x}}}{x}$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{2x - x - 2}{2\sqrt{x}}\right)}{x} = \frac{x-2}{2x\sqrt{x}} \text{ which is not defined}$$

on $x \leq 0$ therefore $f(x)$ is differentiable on $x > 0$

6. The graph of a function $y = f(x)$ is shown below. State the values of x for which the function is not differentiable. Explain why.

$f(x)$ is not differentiable at $x = -3$ or $x = 3$ where the graph has cusps and where there is no definitive location for tangent lines. Also, $\lim_{x \rightarrow -3^-} f'(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow -3^+} f'(x)$ and



$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 3^-} f'(x) \neq \lim_{x \rightarrow 3^+} f'(x)$$

7. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ for the function $y = x^5 - 2x^3 + 3x^2 - x + 5$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 5x^4 - 6x^2 + 6x - 1 \quad \checkmark$$

8. Find $f'(x)$ for the function $f(x) = 6\sqrt{x} - 4x^{-2} + \frac{2}{x}$

$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 6x^{-\frac{1}{2}} + 8x^{-3} - 2x^{-2} = \frac{3}{\sqrt{x}} + \frac{8}{x^3} - \frac{2}{x^2}$$

9. Find y' for the function $y = (x+12)^3 (\sin x)$

$$y' = 3(x+12)^2 \sin x + (x+12)^3 \cos x$$

10. Find $\frac{dy}{dx}$ for the function $y = \frac{\cos x + 1}{3x}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3x(-\sin x) - 3(\cos x + 1)}{9x^2}$$

11. Write an equation for the line tangent to the graph of $f(x) = x^3 - 2x + 1$ at $x = -2$.

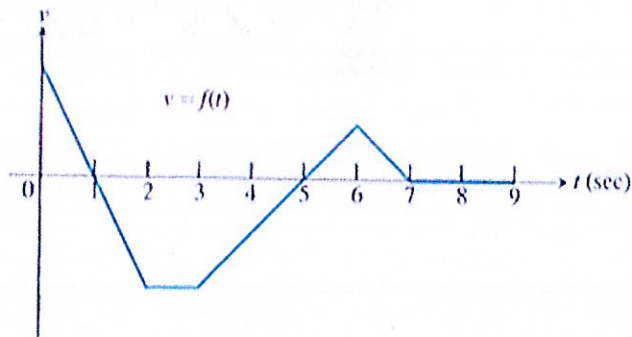
$$f(-2) = (-2)^3 - 2(-2) + 1 = -8 + 4 + 1 = -3$$

$$f'(x) = 3x^2 - 2 \quad f'(-2) = 3(-2)^2 - 2 = 12 - 2 = 10$$

$$y - (-3) = 10(x - (-2))$$

$$y + 3 = 10(x + 2)$$

12. Particle Motion. The accompanying figure shows the velocity $V = f(t)$ of a particle moving on a coordinate number line.



- a. When does the particle change direction from right to left? Justify your answer.

at $t=1$ since $v(t)$ changes from positive to negative.

- b. When does the particle move backward (to the left)? Justify your answer.

on $(1, 5)$ since $v(t) < 0$

- c. When does the particle slow down? Justify your answer.

on $(0, 1) \cup (3, 5) \cup (6, 7)$ since $|v(t)|$ is decreasing which implies that speed is decreasing.

- d. When is the particle's acceleration positive? Justify your answer.

on $(3, 6)$ since $v'(t) > 0$ or since $v(t)$ is increasing

13. Given $y = 2\cos x - \tan x$, determine $\frac{dy}{dx}$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -2\sin x - \sec^2 x$$

14. Particle Motion. A particle moves along a real number line (left and right) so that its position at any time $t \geq 0$ is given by the function $s(t) = t^3 - 6t^2 + 9t - 3$ where s is measured in meters and t is measured in seconds. Positive velocity implies movement to the right.

- a. Determine the particle's displacement from $t = 0$ sec to $t = 3$ sec.

$$\begin{aligned} s(3) - s(0) &= 3^3 - 6(3)^2 + 9(3) - 3 - (0^3 - 6(0)^2 + 9(0) - 3) \\ &= 27 - 54 + 27 - 3 + 3 \\ &= 0 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

- b. Determine the particle's average velocity from $t = 0$ sec to $t = 3$ sec.


$$\frac{s(3) - s(0)}{3 - 0} = \frac{0}{3} = 0 \text{ m/sec}$$

- c. Find the particle's instantaneous velocity at any time t .

$$v(t) = 3t^2 - 12t + 9 = 3(t^2 - 4t + 3)$$

- d. At what time(s) t does the particle change direction. Justify your answer.

$$v(t) = 0 \quad 0 = 3(t^2 - 4t + 3) \quad 0 = 3(t-1)(t-3)$$


 the particle changes direction at $t = 1$ and $t = 3$ since the sign of $v(t)$ changes

- e. Find the particle's acceleration at any time t .

$$a(t) = 6t - 12$$

- f. What is the particle's velocity when the acceleration is zero?

$$a(t) = 0 \quad 0 = 6t - 12 \quad 6t = 12 \quad t = 2$$

$$v(2) = 3(2)^2 - 12(2) + 9 = 12 - 24 + 9 = -3 \text{ m/sec}^2$$

15. Given $f(x) = 5x^2 + x \sin x$, determine the 2nd derivative, $f''(x)$

$$f'(x) = 10x + \sin x + x \cos x$$

$$\begin{aligned} f''(x) &= 10 + \cos x + \cos x - x \sin x \\ &= 10 + 2\cos x - x \sin x \end{aligned}$$

16. Multiple Choice: Find an equation for the line that is normal to the graph of

$$y = \sin x - 2\cos x \text{ at } x = \frac{\pi}{2}.$$

a. $y - 1 = \frac{-1}{2} \left(x + \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$

b. $y - 1 = 2 \left(x - \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$

c. $y - 1 = \frac{1}{2} \left(x - \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$

d. $y - 1 = \frac{-1}{2} \left(x - \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$

e. $y + 1 = \frac{-1}{2} \left(x - \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$

$$\begin{aligned} y\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) &= \sin \frac{\pi}{2} - 2\cos \frac{\pi}{2} \\ &= 1 - 0 \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y'\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) &= \cos \frac{\pi}{2} + 2\sin \frac{\pi}{2} \\ &= 0 + 2 \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$y - 1 = -\frac{1}{2} \left(x - \frac{\pi}{2} \right)$$